

THE CLEVELAND MUSEUM OF ART
ARTIST BIOGRAPHY

MAY 80

Please complete and return the following questionnaire for our reference file on Cleveland Artists.

(ALSO WILLIAMS)
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FULL NAME: GRETCHEN KAY FORAN

DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH: JAN. 26, 1949 ATHENS, OHIO

PRIMARY MEDIA JEWELRY/SILVERSMITHING

ART TRAINING - Schools, Scholarships, etc.:

CLEVELAND INSTITUTE OF ART (SEE FORMER BIOGRAPHIES)

EXHIBITIONS IN WHICH YOUR WORK HAS BEEN SHOWN: THIS PAST YEAR —

BEAUX ARTS DESIGNER CRAFTSMAN '79 COLUMBUS MUSEUM OF ART, COLUMBUS,
OHIO CRAFT INVITATIONAL '79 INTERNATIONAL MANSFIELD ART CENTER, MANSFIELD,

CLEVELAND INSTITUTE OF ART - FACULTY SHOWS.
MAY SHOWS.

COLLECTIONS WHICH NOW INCLUDE YOUR WORK:

AWARDS:

PRESENT POSITION: ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF METALSMITHING, C.I.A.

We would appreciate any information regarding subsequent awards, purchases, exhibitions and scholarships.
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FULL NAME: GRETCHEN KAY FORAN

DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH: 1949 ATHENS, OHIO

PRIMARY MEDIA SILVER SMITHING

ART TRAINING - Schools, Scholarships, etc.:

BFA - CLEVELAND INST. OF ART 1968-1973

INDIANA UNIVERSITY AT BLOOMINGTON. ATTENDED 1974

HONORARY HALF-TUITION SCHOLARSHIP (2 YRS)

HORACE POTTER SCHOLARSHIP (2 YRS)

NANCY DUNN MEMORIAL AWARD \$1200.

EXHIBITIONS IN WHICH YOUR WORK HAS BEEN SHOWN:

ARTIST CRAFTSMAN - AN IN DEPTH LOOK - NOVA SPONSORED: 1978. CLEVE, OHIO
METALSMITH - SOCIETY OF NORTH AMERICAN GOLDSMITHS. 1976. PHOENIX, ARIZONA.

COLLECTIONS WHICH NOW INCLUDE YOUR WORK:

AWARDS:

STERLING SILVERSMITHS GUILD OF AMERICA. PARTICIPATING FIRST AWARD.
CLEVELAND MUSEUM OF ART MAY SHOW - SPECIAL MENTION IN PAINTING.

PRESENT POSITION:

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR IN DESIGN & METAL SMITHING. CLEVELAND INSTITUTE OF ART.

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FULL NAME: GRETCHEN KAY FORAN

DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH: ATHENS, OHIO 1949

PRIMARY MEDIA METALS, SILVER, GOLD

ART TRAINING - Schools, Scholarships, etc.:

CLEVELAND INSTITUTE OF ART BFA
HALF TUITION SCHOLARSHIPS
HORACE POTTER SCHOLARSHIPS
NANCY DUNN MEMORIAL AWARD

EXHIBITIONS IN WHICH YOUR WORK HAS BEEN SHOWN:

SILVERSMITHS GUILD OF AMERICA DESIGN COMPETITION
LEVER HOUSE, NEW YORK

CLEVELAND MUSEUM OF ART MAY SHOW, 1974, 1970

METALS INVITATIONAL, TYLER SCHOOL OF ART, PHILADELPHIA

COLLECTIONS WHICH NOW INCLUDE YOUR WORK:

AWARDS:

SILVERSMITHS GUILD OF AMERICA DESIGN COMPETITION - FIRST AWARD
CLEVELAND MUSEUM OF ART MAY SHOW - SPECIAL MENTION IN PAINTING

PRESENT POSITION: INSTRUCTOR, CLEVELAND INSTITUTE OF ART, FRESHMAN DESIGN

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FULL NAME: GRETCHEN KAY FORAN (FORMERLY WILLIAMS)

DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH: JAN. 26. 1949 ATHENS, OHIO

PRIMARY MEDIA SILVER

ART TRAINING - Schools, Scholarships, etc.:

CLEVELAND INSTITUTE OF ART

SCHOLARSHIPS - HONORARY (2 YRS.)

HORACE POTTER FOR SILVERSMITHS - (2 YRS.)

NANCY DUNN SCHOLARSHIP

EXHIBITIONS IN WHICH YOUR WORK HAS BEEN SHOWN:

(NATIONAL) CLEVELAND INSTITUTE OF ART SUMMER SHOWS & INDEPENDENT SHOW
STERLING SILVERSMITHS GUILD DESIGN COMPETITION - NEW YORK - 2 YEARS
1ST AWARD - 1973

THIRD NATIONAL STUDENT METAL INVITATIONAL
ONE WOMAN SHOW - GREENMANSION - CLEVELAND

MAY SHOW 1971 - PAINTING

COLLECTIONS WHICH NOW INCLUDE YOUR WORK:

AWARDS:

HONORABLE MENTION - 1971 MAY SHOW - PAINTING

1ST AWARD - STERLING SILVERSMITHS GUILD DESIGN COMPETITION - 1973

PRESENT POSITION: 1974 - TECHNICAL ASSISTANT - CLEVELAND INSTITUTE - SILVERSMITHING DEPT.

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